

43rd FLOOR ROBINSONS EQUITABLE TOWER ADB AVE. COR. POVEDA RD. ORTIGAS CENTER, PASIG CITY TEL. NO.: 633-7631, 637-1670, 240-8801 FAX NO.: 633-9387 OR 633-9207

April 16, 2008

PHILIPPINE STOCK EXCHANGE, INC. Philippine Stock Exchange Center Exchange Road, Ortigas Center Pasig City, Metro Manila

Attention: Atty. Pete M. Malabanan Head, Disclosure Department

Gentlemen:

Please be informed that pursuant to the share buyback program of Universal Robina Corporation ("Company"), the Company purchased the following shares:

Security	Date of transaction	Number of shares	Price per share	Outstanding shares after transaction	Treasury shares after transaction
URC	16 Apr 2008	200,000	P13.50	2,178,304,881	43,546,600
		300,000	P13.25		
		<u>500,000</u>			

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

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ROSALINDA F. RIVERA Corporate Secretary